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HOUSE RESOLUTION 295
By Hood

A RESOLUTION to congratulate William and Nancy Sellers on the celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly takes great pleasure in paying tribute to those successful marriages that have stood the test of time to serve as exemplars for present and future generations; and

WHEREAS, on June 12, 1950, William T. Sellers and Nancy Smith were joined in holy matrimony, and since that fateful day this outstanding couple has faced the world as one, basking in the glow of their love for each other during both life's joys and sorrows; and

WHEREAS, the Sellers were married at the University of Virginia chapel on the same day that they both graduated from law school; and

WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Sellers have been highly respected citizens of the Murfreesboro community for many years; they are the very epitome of good neighbors, as they always endeavor to treat others as they would like to be treated; and

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WHEREAS, Mr. and Mrs. Sellers have been practicing law together in Murfreesboro since their graduation from law school on June 12, 1950, in which positions they have earned the respect of their peers and supervisors alike for the superior quality of their work; and

WHEREAS, this fine couple's praiseworthy marriage has produced four children, each of whom has excelled in his or her particular field of endeavor; the Sellers' children are Ted Sellers, Ewing and Kathy Sellers, Alan and Janet Sellers, and Tom and Cindy Forrester; and

WHEREAS, the Sellers are also the proud grandparents of: Rachel, Ewing, Daniel, Nathan, Emily, Meredith, and Philip; and

WHEREAS, William and Nancy Sellers celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with their children and their spouses in Chicago on June 8-11; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the celebration in Chicago, the Sellers' children gathered photos and collected stories from their parents' many friends; and

WHEREAS, for 50 years this blessed union has grown and prospered as an expression of time-honored family values and selfless love; and

WHEREAS, marriages such as the Sellers' are truly the rock-solid foundation upon which our society is built and a beacon of sanity and continuity in these turbulent times; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That the House does hereby honor and congratulate William and Nancy Sellers on the celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary and extends to them best wishes for much continued happiness in the years to come.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.